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Sir:

It is hereby requested that a three-month extension for responding to the Office Action of April 26, 2002 be granted to October 26, 2002 as per 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$460.00 three-month extension fee to Deposit Account No. 19-5113.

This extension is requested so that there is no hiatus between the present application and a Continuation application filed today.

The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required also to Deposit Account No. 19-5113.

Respectfully,

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